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QUESADA'S MANIFESTO.

Victory Already in Sight—Death Rate Among the Spanish Troops Appalling.

The Rebels Will Soon Be Recognized as Belligerents—More Arms Wanted.

NEW YORK, July 5. — General Rafael Quesada's address to the American people says that numerous important misstatements have been made as to the situation and the relative positions of the insurgents and the Spaniards. He says: "We are fighting the Spanish government, not the Spanish people. I find American sentiment with us. I have more than a thousand letters from leading citizens of the United States expressing sympathy and offering aid in behalf of free Cuba. I have told all these gentlemen that we cannot violate the law. They must wait until we are recognized as belligerents by the United States government. Then we shall have all the men and arms we need, and the war will end quickly. I may say, however, that Cuba is practically ours. Victory is already in sight. We occupy nearly all the island. The Spanish soldiers have the towns and the ground they stand on.

"Despite statements to the contrary, the death rate among the Spanish troops is appalling. The reinforcements asked by General Campos are to fill broken regiments. The pestilence is sweeping away the soldiers at increasing speed. General Campos a few weeks ago had a total of 40,000 men. We have 20,000 armed soldiers in the field, but we have 100,000 men ready to go to the front and fight as soon as they can get guns and ammunition. The situation in Cuba has changed within a week. The yellow fever destroys more men in a day than are killed in many battles. It is safe to say that during July and August General Campos will lose 10,000 men from yellow fever alone. We could dispose of 2,000,000 cartridges at once. The men to use them are ready to march at an hour's notice.

"The republic will be proclaimed very soon. The first country to recognize our new government will be Chili, next Peru and then Colombia, and next the Argentine. The South American countries are all with us. Venezuela has too many serious complications just now to make any official demonstration for Cuba. Chili detests the Spanish government. We have her entire sympathy. Her wealthy and influential young men have held many meetings recently and sent us substantial aid. In North America the gulf states are with us to a man. Florida is enthusiastically for Cuba. So we are confident of winning our cause and establishing a substantial republic at an early day. We consider our independence now as good as accomplished."

LOST IN THIBET.

Serious Apprehensions as to the Safety of Prince Henry of Orleans.

PARIS, July 5.—Very serious fears are entertained in the Royalist circles of France with regard to the safety of Prince Henry of Orleans, the scapegrace son of the Duc de Chartres, whose travelling companion died under such peculiar circumstances in the far Orient a few months ago that the official leaders of the Monarchial party felt impelled to publish a statement to the effect that the Prince was neither materially nor morally responsible for the Baron de Grandmaison's sudden death, and showing that they had been separated by a distance of several hundred miles when the tragic event took place.

It seems that when last heard of the Prince, abandoning his intention of returning direct to Europe to face the insinuations against him, to contest his father's application to the courts to legally declare him incapable of managing his own property and to challenge his cousin, the Duke of Orleans, to fight a duel for the active part which he had taken in the matter, had turned his steps in the direction of Thibet with the object of returning home through that mysterious country so renowned for the bitter hatred which prevails against foreigners among the people, and in particular among the fanatic clergy.

Thibet until now has been under the nominal suzerainty of the Emperor of China, and was compelled to consider his wishes so far as to send tribute to Peking. But any semblance of authority that there might have been has disappeared since the defeat of the Chinese, and there is no doubt that the people of Thibet feel that they can now massacre foreign travelers as they please without any danger of being called to account by the government at Peking.

Under the circumstances the trip of the Prince through the northern and least known portion of Thibet can only be regarded as an extremely perilous undertaking, all the more so since instead of being accompanied by an experienced explorer, such as M. Bonvallot, who was with him throughout his last Central Asian expedition, he has now no one with him save a couple of young fellows whom nobody knows much about, and whom he picked up in Saigon or Cochin China.

It would be strange if he were to find in the wilds of Asia a death similar to that of young Prince Louis Napoleon in the wilds of Africa. It would clear the situation to a certain extent, since there is no doubt that as a pretender he is far more dangerous than his cousin, the Duke of Orleans. They have the same fault with regard to getting into perpetual scrapes. But whereas the Duke of Orleans does nothing to redeem this fault, Prince Henry may be said to atone for his shortcomings by the courage and manly energy of which he has given evidence as an explorer. His financial extravagance contrasts strangely with the sordid meanness, not to say avarice, which is the distinguishing trait of the house of Orleans.

Amnesty in Honduras.

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, July 5.—President Bonilla has announced that he will issue a proclamation of amnesty to all political offenders. It is also said that he will proceed rigorously against all ex-officers accused of fraud or peculations from the government. He has appointed another commission to carefully audit government accounts for the past ten years.

TROUBLESOME INDIANS.

Blackfeet Threaten an Uprising Which May Result in a Massacre of Whites.

TORONTO, July 5.—The Globe publishes a sensational story about a threatened uprising of Blackfeet Indians which may result in a massacre of all the whites on the reserve. Miss Turner, who was until a week ago an assistant at the Church of England mission and children's home at the Blackfeet reserve, near Gleichen, N.W.T., has returned on account of the closing of the mission out of trouble with the Indians. Mrs. Gallick, similarly connected, also returned. The story told by Miss Turner indicates a serious state of affairs among the Blackfeet Indians. The shooting of Mr. Skinner, ration distributor, by an Indian named Scraping Hide, reported in the press some time ago, seems to have been the beginning of the trouble. The Indians have commenced to take an unexplainable dislike to the Rev. Mr. Tims, which for no particular reason has led to threats on his life. The result was that on June 27 the clergyman was forced to leave the ungrateful people among whom he had labored like a slave, with scarcely a slave's recompense, for twelve long years. The mission is now deserted.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Bishop Sullivan Declines.

LONDON, July 5.—It is understood that the Bishop of Algoma has declined to accept the proffered position of principal of the Huron Ladies' College. Among other names mentioned for the position is that of Prof. B. Watkin, of Leadville, Que.

Severely Injured by a Trolley Pole.

KINGSTON, July 5.—Hugh Nickel, manager of the electric street railway, while holding on by an upright in order to allow a car to pass, had his head severely injured by striking a trolley pole. In an unconscious state he rolled upon the track, but was rescued before being fatally hurt. He was unconscious for two hours.

Dalton McCarthy Leaves for England.

TORONTO, July 5.—Dalton McCarthy has finally decided to go to England, and left to-day for New York to sail on the Umbria, which leaves to-morrow.

Bloomer-Wearing Teachers.

TORONTO, July 5.—At a meeting of the Toronto Public School Board last evening, Trustee Bell asked if it were within the knowledge of the inspectors that some female teachers were in the habit of riding bicycles in male attire. The chairman replied that considering there is no law in the land to prevent females wearing male attire, he failed to see the relevancy of the question. Trustee Bell remarked: "I refer to what is commonly called bloomers." Dr. Gussie Stowe Gullet said: "I would like to know what business it is of any trustee what dress teachers wear, if even supposing she wore bloomers?" Mr. Bell gave notice of motion to report the names of the teachers, if any, who wear bloomers.

Bank in Difficulties.

MONTREAL, July 5.—It is stated on the street that the affairs of La Banque du Peuple are in a very bad state. Leading bankers say that nearly all its capital has been wiped out and that a large number of overdrafts have been made by prominent Canadian firms. The cashier, Mr. Bousquet, has resigned. He is involved in many outside undertakings. The capital of the bank is $1,200,000, reserve $600,000.

Hamilton Manufacturer Dead.

HAMILTON, July 5.—Joseph Hoodless, head of Hoodless & Son, furniture manufacturers, is dead. The deceased built up a large business.

The Otonabee Murder.

PETERBORO, July 5.—Thomas and Hettie Gray, charged with the murder of David Scollie, of Otonabee, who arrived here at noon to-day, were accompanied by their six children, the oldest thirteen years of age and the youngest a year old. They were arraigned before the county police magistrate and were remanded till July 12.

Can Work on Sunday.

WINDSOR, July 5.—Farmers can haul rails and do other work on Sunday. Such was the judgment in the court of Magistrate Forhan, Kent county. Farmers of the Seventh Day Adventists have been keeping Saturday instead of Sunday as the Biblical Sabbath, and the Methodists prosecuted the case. Watts hauled rails on Sunday, and Magistrate Forhan said he could go ahead and do all the Sunday work he wanted, being exempt as a farmer.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Safe Arrival of the Delayed Steamer "Red River"—Weather Favorable for Crops—Prospective Cattle Shipments.

WINNIPEG, July 5.—(Special)—The overdue steamer Red River arrived at West Selkirk this morning at 9 30, having on board Rev. Mr. Simmons and forty Indian children for the Brandon industrial school. The delay was caused by heavy north winds and low water in Playgreen lake.

The weather throughout Manitoba continues favorable to all crops. It was very warm in Winnipeg to-day.

Francis Bameau, aged 27, was drowned at Muskeg lake, Saskatchewan, on June 23.

At a Patron convention held at Beulah, William Howard, clerk of the municipality, was nominated as a candidate for the Legislative Assembly.

Lightning last night struck M. C. Cameron's stables at Edgeley, burning them to the ground, together with eleven horses. The storm was a terrific one.

J. T. Gordon, a leading cattle dealer, says his firm expects to ship 19,000 head of cattle from the Northwest and Manitoba ranches to the English markets during the next four months.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

No Legislation Likely to Amend the Manitoba School Law This Session.

Bonus for a Smelter in British Columbia—Excess of Revenue Over Expenditure.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, July 5.—The political tension was somewhat relieved by the announcements in both houses to-day. Hon. Mr. Scott asked Sir Mackenzie Bowell whether the government proposed to bring down at the present session any legislation with regard to the Manitoba school question.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell said he would be in a position on Monday to give the house definite information. No new legislation, as far as he was aware, except what was already on the order paper would be brought down this session.

Hon. Mr. Scott—"Then the government has decided not to introduce remedial legislation."

Sir Mackenzie Bowell—"I did not say whether it was decided to do so or not; what I did say was that on Monday I expect to be in a position to state what course the government intends to pursue on that question."

In the Commons Hon. Mr. Foster was less explicit than Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

The opinion is that there will be no remedial law this session, but that possibly a fall session will be held to put a measure through.

It is stated that the government's decision not to introduce remedial legislation was reached after some hours spent on the clauses of the bill drafted by the officers of the department of justice. It was then found utterly impossible to reach a satisfactory conclusion within a reasonable time for presentation to parliament. The Quebec Conservatives say very little. They are said to fear that if parliament is once prorogued the house may be dissolved and the government go to the country before a remedial measure becomes law. To-night they are caucausing, and the next few days may see important developments. It is believed that when parliament has been prorogued the government will appoint a commission of judges to investigate the Manitoba schools and that possibly a compromise will be effected.

In committee on the B.C. smelting bonus, Hon. Mr. Foster explained that it was not proposed to expend more than $30,000 a year as bonus, unless there was a balance remaining over from the previous year. The resolution provided that to earn the bonus, the smelter must begin operations before July 1, 1896.

Hon. Mr. Laurier said in view of the depressed state of the silver market and the condition of the Dominion finances, this hardly seemed to be the most suitable time to make an offer of this kind, but as the amount was small, and it was an experiment which might be the means of developing the principal industry of British Columbia, he would not offer any opposition. There were loud ministerial cheers at this evidence of Mr. Laurier's adhesion to the principle of protection.

The revenue exceeds the expenditure for the twelve months by $1,750,000.

Peter Le Sueur, secretary of the civil service examiners, has been superannuated.

Hon. Mr. Foster will join the votaries of the wheel after the session.

Prof. Prince, commissioner of fisheries, leaves for British Columbia on Monday.

DISQUIETED CUBA.

Death of a Noted Insurgent Leader—Arms and Ammunition on Their Way to the Island.

HAVANA, July 5.—Details reached here to-day of the death of Amadora Guerra, a noted insurgent leader. It appears that two severe engagements were fought yesterday at Palmas Altas, not far from Manzanilla, and one of the largest towns in Santiago de Cuba. Capt. Boreas, at the head of a detachment of 80 volunteers, twice engaged a force of 400 insurgent cavalry under command of Amadora Guerra. The volunteers lost 17 killed and 19 wounded. Among the killed on the insurgent side were Amadora Guerra, Lieut. Raphael Borrea and Tamayo T. Ferrere. In addition 60 of the insurgents' rank and file were killed.

PORT LIMON, July 5.—A German schooner which has been lying here for some days, and which is reported to be the property of Cubans, left here yesterday carrying 1,200 Remington rifles, 300 Colt's revolvers and about 500,000 cartridges. It has a crew of 27 men, all Cubans except three Americans and two Costa Ricans. The schooner is armed with five rapid-firing modern cannons. No attempt was made to delay her, although her destination was well known. Another vessel fitting out on the same mission will sail in a few days.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Arrangement Between N. V. Coal Co. and Its Employes Further Continued.

Sockeye Canning Begun—Brunette Saw Mills—Reception on the "Royal Arthur."

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, July 5.—The story is current that the canneries fire were caused by incendiaries. The insurance companies' appraisers are taking voluminous evidence bearing on the matter.

The admiral and officers of H.M.S. Royal Arthur yesterday afternoon held a reception on the flagship. A large number of citizens visited the vessel in spite of the inclemency of the weather and were received in a cordial way by the gallant sailors. During the afternoon dancing was indulged in under an awning on deck, the guests expressing delight at the excellence of the ship's orchestra. The Royal Arthur leaves this evening for Esquimalt.

In the case of Pat Kane the evidence in the murder trial, the justices' charge and the petition for a new trial have been sent to Ottawa. Kane was to be hung on the 14th inst.

The total loss at the Brunette mills fire is officially announced at $150,000.

No. 5 Company, B C.B.G.A., entertained a number of marines and bluejackets at the drill hall last night. Sergeant LaBranche, who received the guests at the entrance, took occasion to refer humorously to the part the bluejackets took in clearing the grounds at Brockton Point last Monday under his supervision, and observed apropos of the same that he had commanded many men in his day, but that Dominion Day last was the only time he ever commanded bluejackets. A very pleasant evening was spent with songs, recitations and refreshments.

Several sailors broke away from the warships during their stay here. One of the bluejackets cannot be traced.

J. S. Tanner, chief clerk in the C.P.R. ticket office, leaves on Sunday for Seattle, where he has received a better appointment in the C.P.R. office. Mr. Tanner has been three years here. Mr. Hamilton Abbott will occupy the position, and Mr. C. W. Millard will be removed from Mr. G. McL. Brown's office to the ticket office.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 5.—The vital statistics for June are: Births, 10; deaths, 5; marriages, 3.

Frank Sutherland, who was stabbed in Vancouver on the night of the 1st, is progressing favorably towards recovery. Macdonald, the other victim, is still very seriously ill. J. Green, arrested for being implicated in the affair, has been discharged for want of evidence.

It is not known whether the Brunette Saw Mill Co.'s mills will be rebuilt, but it is hoped that an early decision will be arrived at to start without delay. The decision lies chiefly with stockholders in the company resident in the East, where the larger part of the interest in the concern is held. There is one thing though that is not yet generally known, and that is despite the fire the company is still in a position to at once proceed with the execution of all orders on hand for salmon boxes, and to take any others that may offer. The adjustment of the losses with the insurance companies is the only thing preventing them from continuing this work at once, but there will be no delay, so they may be expected to be hard at work completing their box orders in the course of a day or two. This fact is a satisfactory one, amid so much that is discouraging.

Telegraphic dispatches all along the Fraser announce the subsidence of the Fraser, and danger is now positively stated to be over.

The sockeye canning has commenced, the fish being caught in fairly large quantities.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, July 5.—At an early hour this morning John Kelly, who was standing on the upper bridge of the steamer Joan, was observed by the second engineer to fall over the rail head first, and in his descent struck the rail on the lower bridge and then fell into the deep water of the gulf. Every effort was made to recover the body, but it did not rise to the surface.

At the mass meeting of the underground employes of the New Vancouver Coal Company, held yesterday, the chairman stated that the retiring committee had waited upon Superintendent Robins last Thursday to discuss the matter of the 10 per cent. reduction. Mr. Robins informed the committee that he would communicate with them in writing. This he had done, his letter being to the following effect: "Since December last the condition of the coal trade had been growing worse instead of better. Its present state could not be more gloomy. The company had a hard struggle to keep its head above water. The principal cause of this state of affairs was the large shipments of coal from England, Wales and Australia. Under the circumstances the company had been hard pressed to maintain its present restricted output. He, therefore, asked for a continuance of the agreement for a further period of six months, promising, in the event of any change for the better, to confer with the committee again."

Without comment it was moved and seconded that a secret ballot be taken for or against this proposition. The motion carried, but before balloting was proceeded with there was discussion with regard to the coal market and prices obtained for the Nanaimo product in San Francisco. Several speakers expressed the opinion that it was impossible for them to obtain anything like definite information as to the real selling price of coal in San Francisco. Another speaker wanted to know why No. 5 shaft could not be worked more regularly, but he was ruled out of order. The ballots were then counted, with the following result: For 104, against 77; majority in favor of accepting the superintendent's proposition, 27.

Before the principal business of the meeting was taken up the following executive committee was selected as representative of the M. & M. L. P. A. during the ensuing term: James Thompson and Albert Manifold, No. 5 shaft; John McLean and Arthur Spencer, No. 1 shaft; Robert Bell and H. Carroll, Protection shaft.

VERNON.

(From the News.)

About half a dozen new settlers have recorded pre-emptions in Trinity Valley within the past few days.

Trolling on the lakes is giving place to fly fishing with splendid results. A number of local sportsmen last week secured large baskets of silver trout ranging in weight from ½ to 6 lbs.

F. Adrian Meyer claims the record of the largest mushroom grown in the district. One gathered from his mushroom bed last week measured 6½ inches across and weighed 11 ounces.

As Saturday's outgoing train on the S. & O. was nearing the bridge, about three miles this side of Enderby, a thoroughbred shorthorn bull belonging to the Stepney ranch jumped up from beside the track and was struck by the engine and killed. The engine was derailed in the middle of the bridge and narrowly escaped going over. It was with considerable difficulty that it was again got on the rails, the train being delayed several hours. The animal killed was a valuable one.

J. R. Bailey completed this week the burning of the first kiln of brick turned out this season by the Vernon brick yard. The kiln contained about 200,000 brick of much superior quality to any hitherto manufactured in this yard.

Alexander Gilmore, of Victoria, who has been on a visit to this city for some time, has appointed Frank McGowen, solicitor, Vernon, as his agent and representative in this city. Mr. Gilmore owns considerable real estate in Vernon.

Hutcheson & Davidson have been, ever since the season commenced, making daily shipments of strawberries to the Northwest. Most of the fruit has gone to Calgary and intermediate points, though some have been sent as far east as Medicine Hat.

MIDWAY.

(From the Advance.)

On Sunday evening Capt. Adams delivered an instructive lecture in Palmerston hall on some of the important questions connected with the sociological problems of the present day.

It speaks well to be able to say that out of the 1,000 prune trees planted upon Mr. Covert's ranch last spring hitherto not one has died.

Greenwood camp is alive with prospectors from Trail and Slate creeks.

William Shaw returned to Greenwood on Monday. He reports that the discovery of the continuation of the Snowshoe's vein in adjacent claims has caused much excitement.

The Gold Band, Gold Drop camp, is a north extension of the Anchor. There are two strong parallel leads 300 feet apart, both running high in gold and silver.

C. L. Thomet and J. S. Miller are at work on the North Star, the fraction between the Gold Drop and Golden Eagle. The ledge shows up from No. 1 to No. 2 post, and its average width is three feet. The ore is free milling.

There are two ledges on the Silent Friend, Gold Drop camp, running parallel with the Gold Drop vein. A shaft is being sunk.

Messrs. Adams and Coryell are surveying the Stemwinder and Phœnix in Greenwood camp.

Messrs. Bosshart and Dittmer have sunk a shaft 18 feet deep on the Gold Drop. The ore at the bottom of the shaft still shows free gold and has widened out to 3½ feet.

Captain Woolly, proprietor of the Nelson Miner, paid a visit to Greenwood camp last Monday, leaving on the following Wednesday for Nelson. Captain Woolley was most favorably impressed with the ledges in the camp.

Messrs. Lucy, Shonquest and McArthur are crosscutting on the Laura to strike the Gold Drop ledge, Gold Drop camp.

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WANTED—A position as first-class waitress, three years experience; good references. Address J.O., Colonist office. jy5-2t

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W. H. JONES,
jy5-20t Sec. Board of Trustees.

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VICTORIA, B. C.

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Montreal, 8th June, 1895.

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je20-1m Resident Manager.

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Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

(INCORPORATED 1890.)

The fifth annual meeting of the donors and subscribers to the institution will be held in the City Hall, on Friday, the 28th June, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Business: Receiving the annual report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's statement for the year ending 31st May, 1895, likewise the election of directors.

The four following directors retire, but are eligible for re-election: J. S. Yates, Joshua Davies, William M. Chudley, and Alexander Wilson.

Donors and subscribers can vote for four members only. The City Council nominate five (5), the local Government three (3), and the French Benevolent Society three (3), making a total of fifteen (15) directors.

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H. M. YATES,
Secretary.

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133 Government Street.
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NOTICES.

VICTORIA CITY AND ESQUIMALT DISTRICTS.

"Qualification and Registration of Voters' Act, 1876."

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of sub-section (f) of clause 9 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters' Act, 1876," I shall on Monday, the 5th day of August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Registers of Voters. Such Court will be open at 12 o'clock noon, at the Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria.

HARVEY COMBE,
Collector.
Victoria, B.C., 30th May, 1895. je19-td

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of July 1895, to the 1st day of August, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th June, 1895. jy3td

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For further particulars apply to "Rancher," care of The Colonist.
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Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 15, 20 and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-law 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

IN THE NORTH WARD ON MONDAYS AND THURSDAYS.
IN THE CENTRAL WARD ON TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
IN THE SOUTH WARD ON WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforce

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. my15

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

The attention of the public generally, and PLUMBERS IN PARTICULAR is called to Section 16 of the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873," which reads as follows: "If any person or persons shall lay or cause to be laid any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, or in any way obtain or use any water thereof without the consent of the Commissioner, he or they shall forfeit or pay to the said Commissioner, for water works purposes, the sum of FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS, and also a further sum of five dollars for each day such pipe or main shall so remain, which said sum, together with the costs of suit in that behalf, may be recovered by civil action in any court of law in the Province of British Columbia having civil jurisdiction to that amount.

The provisions of the above Section will for the future be strictly carried out.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
City Hall, 11th March, 1895. mr12

$10 REWARD.

The above-mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other building in the City of Victoria; or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto; or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises; or defacing or injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
Victoria, March 20, 1895. mr21

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of dogs are requested to take notice that the tax for the year 1895 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due.

The provisions of the "Pound By-law" and the "Revenue By-law, 1893," will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized collect the above tax.

CHAS. KENT, Collector.
City Collector's Office, City Hall,
Victoria B.C., May 22nd, 1895. my23-t

THE SEAL FISHERIES.

Resumption of the Adjourned Debate in the British House of Commons.

The Right of Search Not to Be Regarded With Other Than Anxiety.

(From the London Standard, June 18.)

The adjourned debate on the second reading of the seal fisheries (North Pacific) bill was resumed by

Mr. Hanbury, who urged that the house was entitled to more complete information from either the Colonial or Foreign Secretary with regard to the attitude that Canada had taken up. Nothing had been said as to whether the Russian agreement had been renewed, while, if there was no similar agreement with the Americans, our sailors might be excluded from sealing in the very waters when others were allowed to do so Apart from international questions, Canada was also deeply interested, and there was no evidence as to the objections of that colony. He desired to know, therefore, whether the Dominion had been heard in this matter.

Sir E Grey remarked that, in so far as there were changes in the bill, they were introduced to meet objections made by the Canadian government. With that exception the bill was not new, and did not raise new questions. It was asked whether the agreement with Russia had been renewed. It had, and the terms of it were the same as in 1893. It was renewed until further notice. Russia had made a similar agreement with the United States, and it was on the understanding that Russia should obtain the consent of the United States to similar restrictions on their sealing vessels that the agreement of 1893 was signed. With regard to other countries, such as Japan, the question with respect to their sealing vessels had not yet arisen, and the situation must be dealt with as it developed. If a fleet of sailing vessels belonging to another Power came into these waters, a similar agreement must be made with that Power, or else the whole question would require revision. With regard to the difference of treatment by Russia in the case of the seizures before the agreement, the contention of Russia was that the vessels were seized because the boats had been fishing in the territorial waters, and within the three-mile limit. The conflict between Her Majesty's government and the Russian as to these seizures was as to matters of fact, and not as to rights. He would ask the House to remember the history of the sealing question. On the one side there was an agreement, on the other none, and the restrictions under the Russian agreement were far less than those on the other side, under the Behring Sea Arbitration Award. If the bill were seriously opposed Her Majesty's government would be unable to carry out their obligations under the agreement, and a serious question would be re-opened on the west side of the Pacific, as it was opened on the east side. It could not be said that Her Majesty's government would be reasonable in taking up the position that no restrictions should be imposed on the Canadian sealers on the west side of the ocean. The restrictions imposed were reasonable and less stringent than those imposed under the award, and he hoped, therefore, that the agreement would not be disturbed (hear, hear).

Commander Bethell did not think that there was any general desire to prevent the bill from passing, but the arrangement which gave Russia a right of searching British vessels could not be regarded with other than considerable anxiety. (Hear, hear.) They had been told that there was an agreement to the same effect between the United States and Russia, and, seeing the improving seal fishery of Japan, he suggested that the Foreign Office ought to have seen that a like understanding should be entered into between the United States and Japan.

Admiral Field expressed his dissatisfaction with clause 3 of the bill, giving Russia the power of search, and requested an assurance that the orders given to the naval officers of the various fleets should be identical.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. G. Bowles moved that it be referred to a select committee.

Mr. Hanbury seconded the motion to send the bill to a select committee, which he described as an unusual course, justified by the unusual conduct of the government in refusing to give the house any information on which it might consider the bill. They ought to be in possession of the Russian agreement, the agreement between Russia and the United States, and the correspondence between the Colonial Office and Canada. If the government would undertake to produce this information before the bill went into committee of the whole house, his hon. friend would withdraw his motion.

Mr. Griffith-Boscawen supported the request for information, as a great deal of obscurity attached to certain points in the bill.

Sir R. Webster sympathised very strongly with the request, but, at the same time, trusted that Her Majesty's government would be able to give some assurance that would prevent the necessity for this method for obtaining the information required. He did not think that this particular bill should be discussed by a select committee. Having taken some part in 1893 in framing a bill with the present Lord Chief Justice, and knowing the responsibility that attached to the matter and the necessity that there was for some agreement, he thought it would be a serious thing for the government to be involved in any question of unwillingness on the part of this country to carry on the arrangement. But they were justified in demanding an assurance that before the committee stage was reached as much information as possible should be given and documents produced, and there should be an undertaking that reasonable time should be given for the discussion of the bill in committee. He had not pressed the hon. baronet unduly for documents, but there could be no reason for the non-production of the Russian documents, and of a good deal of information with reference to the Canadian claims and the correspondence with America. He was satisfied that there was a strong feeling in Canada that Canadian interests were being overlooked at the present time, and he was certain that the Chancellor of the Exchequer would be the first to wish to dispel that feeling. There was not the least desire to impede the bill; but when they were passing a measure that restricted the rights of British seamen on the high seas, it ought to be a considered act of the House of Commons, and in order that this might be obtained, the government should take the house into its confidence, and give an assurance that for public reasons it was not possible to submit the information asked for.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer had no hesitation in saying that his hon. friends the Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs and the Under Secretary for the Colonies would consider what papers they could lay on the table. Every measure would be taken to expedite the laying of such papers as could be produced, for the government had every desire to give what information it was in their power to submit to the House. Moderate time for discussion of the bill would be allowed, and he was sure that the opportunity would not be abused.

The motion was by leave withdrawn.

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THE SCOLLIE MURDER.

Arrest of the Suspected Parties in Florida—Details of the Case.

NEW YORK, July 5.—On board the Clyde liner Algonquin, which reached her pier yesterday, were Thomas Gray and his wife Hetty, both Canadians. They are in charge of Canadian detectives who traced them to Florida. The detectives told their story as follows:

David Scollie, the murdered man, lived in Peterborough, Ontario. He was a bachelor, well advanced in years, and very well to do. Near him resided the Gray family. It seems Mrs. Gray persuaded her husband to make Scollie a proposal to give the Grays the use of the farm, they in return to take care of him during the rest of his life. The old bachelor assented. Mrs. Gray is then alleged to have said to her sister, a Mrs. McGregor, who lived near, that she believed it would do no harm to kill the man. Mrs. McGregor was shocked, and told her sister so. Mrs. Gray replied:

"Suppose I kill him and then burn the house. Who will know anything about it?"

About a year ago the McGregors were aroused at 2 o'clock in the morning by one of the Gray children knocking at the door and saying that her mother had sent her to say that the house was on fire. McGregor hurried to the burning building and met Mrs. Gray on the road. She had a bundle under her arm and tried to persuade McGregor not to venture into the building. He did, however, and aided by neighbors, found the body of Scollie. Flames had not reached it, but the head had been severed and was missing. It is now believed it was in the bundle that the woman had under her arm. None of the suspicious circumstances connected with the death came out until the insurance people began an investigation. They found that the house had been insured for five times its actual value, but they did not discover that until the Grays had collected the insurance, disposed of the farm and disappeared. Detective Murray was placed on the case and for nearly a year endeavored to find the fugitives. He at last located them in Florida and found them in hiding near Ocala.

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

W. ½ of Section 20, Range III., Mountain District.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of Edward Huggins to the above lands, dated 17th July, 1879, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, within one month from the date hereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
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Land Registry Office,
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AN EASTERN THINKER.

Dr. Weldon, who represents the County of Albert, New Brunswick, in the Dominion House of Commons, is one of the reading and thinking men of that body. He is dean of the law faculty of Dalhousie College, and it is therefore to be presumed that his opinion on a question of constitutional law is worthy of respect. This gentleman was not long ago interviewed by a representative of the Toronto World, chiefly, as it seems, on the position of the Government with respect to the all-absorbing Manitoba school question. Here is an extract from that interview:

"In your opinion, is the government bound to introduce into the house a remedial law for Manitoba?"

"Bound by what consideration?" Dr. Weldon queried.

"Bound by the fact that they have issued the remedial order."

"Most emphatically no!" the Doctor replied.

Continuing, he said: "To me the clearest reading of the constitution in respect to this matter is as follows: The Governor-General-in-council, in hearing and disposing of the appeal from Manitoba, were a judicial tribunal. The constitution charged that tribunal with the duty of hearing an appeal, when a certain set of facts should occur to clothe it with jurisdiction. It was the Governor-General-in-council, and no other body, that was empowered by the constitution to hear the appeal. The preliminary inquiry before that tribunal as to whether, in the existing state of facts, they had jurisdiction, was one of much difficulty, involving the determination of nice points of law and of fact. The tribunal was empowered by a Canadian statute to avail itself of the opinions of the Supreme Court of Canada and the judicial committee of the Privy Council. The Governor-General-in-council, having determined that they had jurisdiction, rejecting thereby the opinion of the Supreme Court of Canada, and accepting the opinion of the judicial committee of the Privy Council, were, it seems to me, bound to make a remedial order. So far their action seems to me entirely judicial."

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"Do you think that those persons who are members of the tribunal that heard the appeal and made the remedial order are bound to support a remedial law in the house?" was asked.

"Quite the contrary," Dr. Weldon replied. "Had I been a judge sitting in that tribunal I would have felt bound to issue a remedial order, for the simple reason that the issuing of the order was necessary to unbolt the doors of parliament to the complaining minority. But once a remedial law were introduced into the House of Commons, though I had been a judge in that tribunal, I, as a member of the house, would feel myself perfectly free to vote for or against any remedial law that might be introduced."

"Does not the weight of legal opinion controvert your view?"

"Quite the contrary, it supports it," Dr. Weldon replied.

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"So far as I have been able to ascertain, the overwhelming weight of professional opinion favors the view that the promulgation of the remedial order in no way pledged the government, or any member of the same, to support a remedial law in parliament."

"In your judgment, though the government is not bound, by having issued a remedial order, to introduce a remedial law, should it not take control of such a measure in parliament?"

"Distinctly no, and for the reasons the members of the government are well known to be divided on the merits of separate schools. Those members of the government who are in the minority on the question will most unjustly be put in the wrong before their constituencies and the country. If the government stakes its life on the passage of such a law, it will attract to its support the bulk of the Catholic vote. It will repel the bulk of the Protestant vote. The country will see this deplorable condition—two great parties divided by a religious line."

"Furthermore, the Government has no special competence to deal with the matter of school law. They have no minister of education, and no departmental staff to favor them with detailed and expert knowledge. The further result of making this a party question will be to deprive of nomination, or to defeat at the polls, a number of the most worthy members of parliament."

"Does not the established practice in Canada and England require government initiative in all important measures?"

"By no means. Many laws on the English statute books of the greatest importance were introduced and carried through parliament by private members. In Canada the same thing is true. It will be in the memory of many members that the insolvency bill of Mr. Abbott, the liquor license bill of 1883 of Mr. McCarthy, the extradition bill of 1881, were all introduced by private members of the house."

The above is substantially the opinion lately expressed by the Montreal Gazette. Both Dr. Weldon and the Gazette seem to think that the bill to remedy the grievance complained of by the minority in Manitoba can be submitted to Parliament as an open question in which every member is at liberty to vote as his judgment or his conscience dictates. If it passes, the Government is not entitled to any credit for its passage, and if it is rejected, its rejection cannot affect the position of the Government.

It is evident that some members of the Government and many of its supporters in the House do not take Dr. Weldon's view of the duty of the Government in the premises. They are evidently of the opinion that the Government must introduce the remedial bill and stake its existence on the result—that, in short, it must be a Government measure. This is why some members of the Government express their determination to resign if the Government brings down the bill, and why others threaten to resign if the Government refuses to bring it down. Dr. Weldon's way is the simplest, the least embarrassing mode of dealing with the matter. Let the minority have what they consider a fair measure submitted to Parliament, let it be considered without regard to party distinctions. Let there be in the House no Government and no Opposition when the bill is being deliberated upon. It would be interesting to observe how the remedial bill would be received under such circumstances, and what would be its fate. But we do not think that the experiment will be tried.

THE RIGHT RING.

It is cheering to see that there are Canadians who believe in their country and who are ready to proclaim their faith in it on all proper occasions. The Toronto Telegram was on Dominion Day jubilant. It had good cause to rejoice. There are both truth and good sense in its Dominion Day hurrah:

"Canada," it exclaimed, "is the freest, happiest, best off country in the world, and can meet the dawn of the twenty-ninth year of her life as a nation with courage tempered by wisdom and hope in which there is no fear.

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Every proposition of this outburst when coolly and calmly considered is demonstrable. Our country is without doubt a good one, and we ought to be a contented and a happy people.

A BRITISH PROTECTIONIST.

We are often told that in England no one but a crank or a downright lunatic opposes free trade. But it has been noticed of late that there are very many in Great Britain, neither cranks nor lunatics, who are very far from believing that free trade has been the making of England. Among these is Mr. Burgis, who has written a book which bears the title "Perils to British Trade." The reader may be able to form a pretty fair idea of the intellectual status of Mr. Burgis when he learns that he was an intimate friend of James Anthony Froude, the historian and Professor of History in Oxford. Mr. Burgis, moreover, submitted the manuscript of his work to Mr. Froude, who, after he had read six chapters of it, wrote to Mr. Burgis: "So far as I can see I agree heartily with your general views." Part of the "general views" of which Mr. Froude approved so heartily, is the following:

It is usual for the provisional advocates of the free trade policy of this country to attempt to justify it not so much by any defence or direct apology for it, or on its essential merits, as by inferences in its favor derived from a misrepresentation of the policy of protection. The most systematic and audacious misrepresentation of facts, and the most persistent falsification of history, are now the sole basis for popular belief in it or patience with it. The Corn Law controversy is falsely described and disposed of. The temporary and artificial prosperity of this country during the years of our monopoly of the improved tools of production and distribution, and during these years when other great nations were engaged in exhausting wars—is all ascribed to the free trade policy; and any attempt or proposal to revert to fiscal regulation of external trade is falsely described as limiting the supply of needful commodities, and attempting to create a monopoly for landlords.

The tactics of the advocates of free trade in Great Britain are exactly those resorted to by the opponents of the National Policy in this Dominion. Their arguments in favor of free trade, pure and simple, are few and weak, and they are compelled to admit that free trade is not suited to Canada in its present circumstances. It is only when they describe what they assert are the nature and the results of protection that they become fluent. Their denunciation of the trade system which has been adopted by every civilized country in the world except Great Britain, is unqualified. In order to make what they consider points against protection they distort history and misrepresent facts. Their elaborate calculations are often based upon data that are either erroneous or imaginary. The conclusions which they draw from false premises, often of their own creation, they flaunt in the faces of protectionists as if they were unquestionably sound and logical. The air of infallibility which these free trade romancers assume would be amusing if it were not so brazenly and so provokingly impudent.

In this country there are many advocates of free trade who know nothing whatever of the history of commerce or of the principles on which it is based, but who, like parrots, repeat the theories and the inventions of the leading men of their party. The air of self-confidence which these pretenders to knowledge assume often imposes upon those who honestly desire to obtain information on the trade question. They have no suspicion that the men who have undertaken to instruct them are the merest quacks who are certain to lead those who trust them widely astray.

SHORT OF CASH.

The United States is without doubt a very rich country. So wealthy a nation, if it were wisely governed, would be financially in easy circumstances. That it is not so is a serious reproach on those in whose hands the people have placed the management of its affairs. The national debt is not, in proportion to its resources, very large, and the national burdens are not necessarily heavy. The legislators of the Republic have saddled it with an enormously heavy pension list, but the burden of the pensions must get lighter as time advances. Pensioners, though proverbially long-lived, do not live forever. When everything is considered, therefore, there is nothing to prevent the United States, as regards money matters, from being unembarrassed. But Uncle Sam has been for some time in a very unpleasant position. His servants have been playing tricks with his currency. He has been overloaded with silver, and he has been several times in a tight place for want of gold. His legislature has managed matters so stupidly and so clumsily that he has not had for two years and more money enough to pay running expenses. At the end of 1894 he was $70,000,000 short, and the close of the fiscal year 1895 finds him with a balance on the wrong side of his ledger of $43,000,000. His revenue has for some years been diminishing, while his expenses have been kept up to the old figure. Before the tariff tinkers began their meddling and muddling, he had an income of some $220,000,000 to $225,000,000 a year. His strong box was then always full, and he had at the end of each year a comfortable surplus. But latterly his income, through the meddling of the meddlers, has been whittled down to $177,000,000, then to $131,000,000, and this year, owing to the receipts from the sugar tax, it is somewhat better, being $152,000,000. When the tariff tinkers cut $95,000,000 off Uncle Sam's revenue they ought to have had sense enough either to cut down expenses by that amount or make up the deficiency by imposing new taxes of a different kind. But they kept on quarreling and disputing about one thing and another and left the old gentleman, although his estate is such a big and such a productive one, without money enough to get along with.

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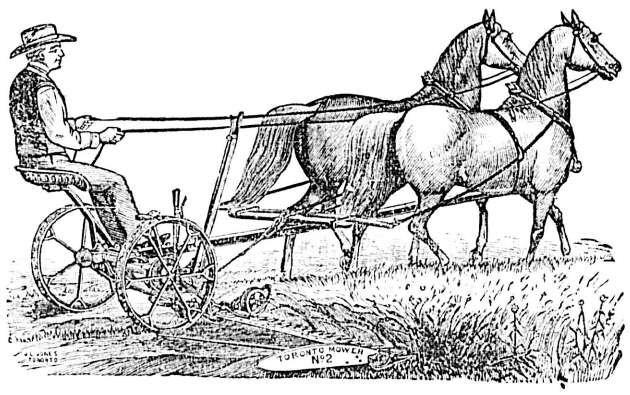

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THE CITY.

THE B C B.G.A. band will give a concert at Beacon Hill this evening, weather permitting.

SEWELL SIMS, for theft, was given six months' imprisonment at hard labor by Magistrate Macrae yesterday.

A GENERAL meeting of the directors of of the Jubilee hospital will be held at Yates & Jay's offices on Monday at 8 p.m.

THE evening of the 15th instant has been fixed upon as the date of the citizens' concert in aid of the Aberdeen committee fund.

TO-DAY and evening is the last opportunity offered for purchasing the jade stone carvings now on view in the late Stanley House rooms, Balmoral block.

AN alarm from box 42 yesterday afternoon, between four and five o'clock, gave the fire department a run to Chatham street. It was only a grass fire, and no damage was done.

THE Victoria West lodge, I.O.G.T., will give the sixth of their Saturday evening entertainments to-night. A good programme has been arranged, which will conclude with the laughable farce "Turn Him Out."

BETWEEN 150 and 200 excursionists returned home from the Sound on each of the regular steamers yesterday morning. Among the Sehome's passengers were several lacrosse players who had remained over the night at Port Townsend.

THE following are passengers by the steamer Umatilla now en route from San Francisco for Victoria: Estra Drummers, F. H. Jones, Miss Florence Dunbers, Mrs. Shryer and two daughteas, Miss Metcalf, J. Hood and wife, Miss Mollemous, Leon D. Bliss, Mrs. Bliss, W. D. B. Mead, R. H. Simpkins, S. W. Wible, H. P. Harris and wife and W. H. Murphy.

THE lambs seized by customs officer J. J. White at Sidney on Wednesday last, were all sold at public auction yesterday afternoon. Collector Milne is holding an inquiry into the seizure with a view of bringing the smuggler to justice, and has so far received pretty direct information as to who the guilty party is. He expects officer White in from Sidney to-day to give evidence in the case.

THE following brothers were duly installed by Grand Master Holmes last evening as office bearers for the present term of Peerless lodge, No. 33, I C.O.F.: William R. Mackintosh, N.G.; D. McMillan, V.G.; I. J. Hingley, recording secretary; G. B. Harrison, permanent secretary; David Lindsay, treasurer; Charles Porter, warden; John Speed, conductor; George McLeod, O.G.; Hudson Roper, I.G.; Harry Brown, R.S.N.G.; William McKay, L.S.N.G.; D. J. McIntosh, R.S.V.G.; J. T. Huff, L.S.V.; Hinkson Siddell, chaplain; W. J. Hanna, J.P.G.

IT was expected that the application in court of Mr. John Haggarty for an injunction to prevent the Mayor signing the contract for the waterworks improvements would have come up for hearing yesterday, but as there are only two judges in town, and they were too busy to give their attention to the matter, the application could not be heard. It has therefore been postponed till Tuesday morning. In the meantime the Mayor will not sign the contract, as he said yesterday he was anxious to have the injunction settled first and could not do anything till such time as it could be heard. Notice that the application will come up on Tuesday has been given the city.

ENSIGN WILLIAM PATTERSON of the food and shelter home of the Salvation Army wishes to thank the following friends for their kindly support during the past two weeks: Mr. Martindale, Friend, Friend per H. Hearns, L. Goodacre, R. Porter & Sons, St. Andrew's church, Marshall & Co., R. Eccles, London Bakery, Mrs. Pither, J. Dunsmuir & Co., Hall & Renouf, Victoria Tea House, Coffee and Spice Mills. The Ensign would also like to state that the shelter home is badly in need of a horse to deliver the wood which is cut there by the men. Any friend who has a suitable horse not in use could not do better than to loan it for its keep to the shelter for this purpose. The cart and harness are already secured. The horse will be well cared for.

THE concert given by Herr A. Aamold and Miss Etta Beamer at the A. O. U. W. hall last evening was well worthy of a much larger audience than was present. The first number on the programme was (A.) Aria, Raff; (B) Gipsey Legendes, with variations, by Herr Aamold. Victoria has been favored with some good violinists, and hence lovers of that sort of music here are apt to be decidedly critical. Herr Aamold at once got into touch with his hearers and proved himself to be an able artist. The second number was a solo by Miss Beamer, "The Holy City." This piece was well rendered. The lady is possessed of a strong soprano voice, which has evidently been carefully cultivated, and while the sweetness was occasionally sacrificed to the strength, yet the effect in the whole was very pleasing. Herr Aamold next gave Elegie (by Ernst) which gave evidence of the violinist's ability, and was hearily enjoyed by the audience. Miss Beamer chose as her second selection a bright little gem "Cuckoo, Should I Grow Old?" and again sang in a most acceptable manner. The last two numbers were by Herr Aamold, who had selected "Ballade et Polonaise" and "National Song and Dance," the latter being one of Ole Bull's compositions. The rendering of these was truly artiistic and showed Herr Aamold to be a genuine artist of no small ability. Taken altogether the evening's entertainment was very pleasant and thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

DR. JOHN LANG delivered his lecture on "Robert Morrison, Chinese Missionary," before the Sir William Wallace Society last night. Born in the north of England January 5, 1782, the son of a Scotsman, Morrison received a good Christian training. Dr. Lang said that while it might be interesting to know something of the character of the work accomplished by him as a missionary, it was no less interesting to note the political importance to the East of his labors. Robert Morrison went out to China as a representative of the London Missionary Society in the year 1807; he at once set himself to acquire a knowledge of the Chinese language, and notwithstanding opposition and difficulties, in the short period of eighteen months he became a most accomplished scholar, and in addition to his missionary work he received an appointment as interpreter to the East India Company. During his twenty-seven years' residence in China he published an Anglo-Chinese dictionary and numerous translations. He received the D.D. degree from the Glasgow University in recognition of his attainments, and he also held the appointment of interpreter to Lord Amherst's embassy to China. He died at his post in 1854, leaving behind him a work which will be felt for years to come. Next Friday night the subject of lecture is "The Romans in Scotland," by Alexander Begg, C C.

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Behring Sea Expedition Cancelled — Movements of the Warships—The "Chittagong" Away.

Captain Southby, of the sealing schooner R. I. Morse, has given up the idea of going to Behring Sea this year, although he had started for that point several weeks ago. The change of plans is due to the difficulty in securing a crew. Captain Southby had gone down the coast to engage Indian hunters, but all efforts made in this respect proved fruitless. The Indians refused to go in his schooner for any reasonable consideration, and Captain Southby being unable to pick up a Japanese crew afterwards, abandoned the cruise. His sealing license has, in consequence, been cancelled, and he is now about to enter the West Coast trading business.

MOVEMENTS OF THE WARSHIPS.

H.M.S. Hyacinth will vacate the Esquimalt dry dock on the 18th instant, after receiving an extensive overhauling. She will, it is expected, leave for the South soon afterwards. The Nymphe will shortly sail for Behring Sea to assist the Pheasant in patrol duty, and the Royal Arthur, now at Vancouver, is expected to return to Esquimalt on Sunday.

MARINE NOTES.

The following paragraph appears in the Seattle Post-Intelligencer of yesterday: "The big side-wheel steamer Yosemite, which arrived from Vancouver at 9 a.m. yesterday with 400 excursionists from that city and New Westminster, attracted a large number of visitors to the Arlington dock, where she is tied. She is one of the most commodious passenger steamers on the Coast and could easily accommodate 1,500 people. She is to remain for to-day's celebration. The steamer Joan, at the Ocean dock, from Nanaimo, had her share of attention also, especially during the canoe races."

It was late yesterday afternoon before the O. R. & N. steamer Chittagong sailed on her trans-Pacific voyage. She had been prepared to leave the previous night, but the storage on board of the powder she received here was not approved of by the authorities. Consequently it had to be reloaded, and this caused the delay. The handling of the powder on the second occasion was superintended by a naval officer.

The Quadra, Captain Walbran, returned from Prevost Island last evening after selecting a site on Portlock Point for the proposed new lighthouse.

On the steamer Rosalie yesterday morning there arrived a shipment of over twenty crates of raspberries.

The Chilian ship Republic will load lumber at Hastings.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The City Barrister to Look After the City's Side of the Injunction Case.

The writ taken out by John Haggarty to prevent the Mayor from signing the contract with Walkley, King & Casey, was read at the city council meeting last night; also the notice that application for the injunction would be made on Tuesday. The matter was referred to the city barrister to attend to.

The sewerage commissioners' amendment by-law which does away with the appointment of sewerage commissioners had its three readings and passed.

The tax by-law for 1895 was next taken up and considered in committee. It provides for a tax on land of 15 mills on the dollar; also for 15 mills on the dollar on twenty-five per cent. of the assessed value of improvements; a special tax on land of 1 mill for Board of Health and hospital purposes, and a special tax of 2 mills on land for school purposes. On taxes unpaid by December 31, 1895, interest at 6 per cent. will be charged.

ALD. HALL, now that the band was playing out at the park on Wednesday evenings, said he had endeavored to get an electric lamp at the band stand, and wondered why one was not placed there.

ALD. BRAGG said it was not his fault. Some allowance must be made for the new superintendent, but things were going rather slow. As chairman of the committee, the alderman was dissatisfied with the progress made.

ALD. MACMILLAN thought Ald. Bragg was in a huff because his man had not been appointed. It was like the boys' play of "bull in the ring." "If I ain't bull I won't play."

ALD. BRAGG was not huffed; it was facts he was giving.

ALD. HALL said the matter should be looked into. If the electric light committee were not competent to carry on the thing let some one else be appointed. The lights should be in proper running order in James' Bay district, but at present half of them were out at nights.

The board adjourned shortly before nine o'clock.

Silver Knights of America.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Another secret organization has been formed in this country for political purposes. It is called the Order of the Supreme Temple, Silver Knights of America, and its headquarters are 142 New York avenue, in this city. The name indicates the purpose of the society to advance the cause of free coinage of silver. The knights are chartered in Virginia as a corporation. It is claimed that the leaders of the movement are prominent in all parts of the country, and that a great number of representatives and senators are included among them. At the general office in this city a number of clerks are engaged in sending out free silver literature. It is claimed that temples are now being formed throughout the country, and that the Silver Knights of America already show a considerable organization. It is expected by the projectors that by the time the next campaign is actively entered upon there will be lodges of Silver Knights in every town and hamlet in the United States. Access to the lodge rooms can only be obtained by means of secret passwords and signs, and discussions that occur there will be guarded with the utmost secrecy.

A Florida Lynching.

LAKE CITY, Fla., July 5.—At Hope Henry, a colored church five miles west of here, a party took Robert Bennet, a young colored preacher, from the pulpit, carried him a short distance off and lynched him. When the body was found by the roadside the brains were shot out, the throat cut and both ears cut off. A protracted meeting was in progress at the church and the preachers and congregation had all gone to sleep, waiting and watching with "mourners in a trance." Just before daybreak the party entered, roused Bennet in the pulpit and dragged him out over another preacher. His offence, it is said, was an assault upon a white woman in Sewane county recently.

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CHAPTER XXIII.

A LITERARY DEBUT.

After that serious accident Arnold Willoughby lay ill in his bunk for several days before he felt fit for anything. Meanwhile, as is the wont of sailor folk on such hard voyages, he was left entirely to himself, or scantily tended at moments of leisure by his rough companions. At last one day, more to still the throbs of pain in his shattered right hand than anything else, he asked for the manuscript of his Venetian cipher.

"Oh, that?" his messmate said as soon as Arnold had clearly explained just what it was he wanted. "That bundle o' yellew papers? I threw them out one day. A pack o' rubbish. I thought 'twan't nothing."

"What? Threw it overboard?" Arnold exclaimed, taken aback and horrified at such vandalism.

The messmate nodded. "Yes, th' old yaller un," he answered. "Them loose sheets, all torn an stained, if that's what you mean. They wan't up to much. I didn't set no store by 'em."

"And the notebooks?" Arnold asked, with that little tremor of fear which comes over one when one fancies the work of months may have been destroyed or rendered useless by some casual piece of unthinking carelessness.

"Oh, the notebooks! No; not them. They're safe enough in yonder," the sailor answered, nodding backward toward the locker by the bunk. "I thought they were more like, and I didn't chuck 'em."

"Get them out," Arnold cried nervously. "Let me see them. I want them." It occurred to him that in his present necessity he might be able to make something out of his painstaking translation even if the original manuscript itself had really perished.

The sailor brought them out. Arnold glanced through them rapidly. Yes, yes, they were all there, quite safe, and as the drowning man clings to the proverbial straw so Arnold Willoughby in his need clung to that precious manuscript. He laid it carefully under his pillow when he slept, and he spent a large part of his waking time in polishing and improving the diction of his translation.

When at last they returned to Dundee, Arnold found he had to go into hospital for a fortnight. No sooner was he out again, however, than he made up his mind, maimed hand and all, to go up to London and look out for Kathleen Hesslegrave. The impression printed upon his brain by that episode of the icebergs persisted with double force now he was fairly ashore again. Should he not give his one love at least the chance of proving herself a truer woman than he had ever thought her?

He went up to London by sea to save expense, carrying his precious manuscript of the Elizabethan sailor. As soon as he landed he took a room in a small lodging house in the seafaring quarter. Then he set to work at once to hunt up the London directory so as to discover if he could where the Hesslegraves were living.

He knew nothing, of course, of Mrs. Hesslegrave's death, but he saw by the directory that she was no longer ensconced in the old rooms at Kensington. The only Hesslegrave now known to the big red volume, in fact, was Mr. Reginald Hesslegrave of Capel court, city, set down, with half a dozen other assorted names, for a flat in a small lodging house in the abyss of Brompton.

Now, Arnold remembered quite well that Kathleen's brother was named Reginald, so to the unfashionable lodging house in the abyss of Brompton he directed his steps accordingly.

"Is Mrs. Hesslegrave living here?" he asked the slipshod maid who opened the door to him.

The slipshod maid mumbled "yes" in an inarticulate voice, holding the door in her hand at the same time after the fashion of her kind, as if to bar his entrance, but Arnold slipped past her sideways by a strategic movement, and the slipshod maid, accepting accomplished facts, showed him up with a very bad grace to the rooms on the first floor which Reggie had occupied before his marriage, and which he was now compelled by hard decree of fate to share with Florrie.

The slipshod maid pushed open the door, and with the muttered words, "Genelman to see you, mum—Mr. Wil'by," disappeared down stairs again with shuffling rapidity.

But the moment Arnold found himself face to face with the vision of beauty in the fluffy black hair, cut short all over and frizzed like a Papuan's, he saw at once this couldn't be his Mrs. Hesslegrave. "I beg your pardon," he said, hesitating, "I think there must be some mistake. I wanted to see Mrs. Hesslegrave."

"I am Mrs. Hesslegrave," Florrie answered, with dignity. Five foot two can be dignified when it makes its mind up to it.

Arnold started a little. "Then I suppose you must be Mr. Reginald Hesslegrave's wife," he exclaimed, taken aback. "I didn't know he was married."

"He's not been married very long," Florrie admitted, with her pretty, coquettish smile, which recent misfortunes had not entirely clouded. "Did you want to see Reggie? He's just now come in, and he'll be down in a minute."

Arnold took a seat and waited, but he couldn't resist the temptation to ask at once meanwhile the latest tidings of Kathleen. Florrie had by this time acquired from her husband a considerable dislike of that hard hearted woman, who wouldn't marry a rich man—such an easy thing to do—on purpose because she didn't want to be of use to dear Reggie. So her answers were of a sort which made Arnold suspect she didn't particularly care for her newly acquired sister-in-law. By the time Reggie came down indeed she had made her position tolerably plain to Arnold, and had also managed, with innate feminine astuteness, to arrive at the conclusion that this was the other man whom Kathleen had known a couple of years ago at Venice. Nay, so convinced was she of this fact that she made some little excuse to leave Arnold alone in the room for a minute while she ran up stairs to communicate her suspicions on the point to Reggie. This vile interloper, the other man, must be promptly crushed in the interests of the family. When Reggie himself at last descended, he fully shared Florrie's view. The very eagerness with which the stranger asked after Kitty's health showed Reggie at once he had very good reasons for wishing to see her.

Now, Reggie, though a silly young man, was by no means a fool where his own interests were concerned. On the contrary, he was well endowed with that intuitive cunning which enables a man to find out at once whatever is most to his personal advantage. So, having arrived instinctively at the conclusion that this was the other fellow of whom his sister had spoken, he proceeded, as he phrased it himself, "to put a spoke in the other fellow's wheel" on the subject of Kathleen.

"Oh, no, my sister's not in town," he said, with a slight smile and a quick side glance at Florrie, as a warning that she was not on any account to contradict this flagrant departure from historical accuracy. "She's gone down into the country—to Cromer, in fact," Reggie continued, growing bolder in the details of his romance as he eyed Arnold Willoughby. "She's going to stay there with some friends of ours to meet another old Venetian acquaintance whom I dare say you knew—a charming young American—Mr. Rufus Mortimer."

Reggie delivered this home thrust direct, watching his visitor's face as he did so to see whether it roused any appreciable emotion, and he was not disappointed with the result of his clever move. It was "Check!" most decidedly. Arnold Willoughby gave a sudden start.

"Rufus Mortimer!" he exclaimed. "She's going down to Cromer to stop with some friends in the same house with Rufus Mortimer?"

"Yes," Reggie answered carelessly. Then he smiled to himself a curious and very significant smile. "The fact is," he went on boldly, determined to make the spoke in the other fellow's wheel a good big round one while he was about it, "they're very thick together just now, our Kitty and the American. Between ourselves, as you're a friend of the family's and knew the dear old mater, I don't mind telling you—I rather expect to reckon Rufus Mortimer as my brother-in-law elect before many weeks are over." And this last remark, so far as Mr. Reginald's own expectations were concerned, could not be condemned as wholly untruthful.

"Are they engaged then?" Arnold asked, quivering. His worst fears were confirmed. Failing the earl in disguise, Kathleen had flung herself into the arms of the American millionaire as next best among her chances.

"Well, not exactly engaged, don't you know," Reggie responded airily. "Not quite what you can call engaged perhaps, but it's an understood thing all the same in the family."

Arnold Willoughby's heart sank like lead. He didn't know why, but somehow, ever since that afternoon in the ice channel, he had cherished day and night a sort of irrational, instinctive belief that after all he was mistaken, and that Kathleen loved him. Yet now he saw once more he was in error on that point. She was really nothing more than the self seeking, money loving, position hunting girl that her own mother had so frankly represented her to be that fateful day in the rooms by the Piazza.

Poor Kathleen! She was indeed unfortunate in her relations. At Venice it was Mrs. Hesslegrave, in London it was Reggie who so cruelly misrepresented her to her much misled lover.

Arnold didn't stop long, nor did he ask for Kathleen's address. After all, if she were really going to marry Rufus Mortimer, it would be a pity for him to intrude at such a moment on her happiness. Mortimer was rich and would make her comfortable. Money was what she wanted, and if Kathleen wanted it——

Even as he thought that hard thought he broke off in his own mind suddenly. No, no; it wasn't money she wanted, his beautiful, innocent Kathleen—of that he felt certain. And yet, if she really meant to marry Rufus Mortimer, it was at least his duty not to step in now between the prospective bride and her rich, new lover, who could do so much more for her than ever he himself could do.

As soon as he was gone Master Reggie turned philosophically to Florrie and observed, with a smile: "I settled his hash, I flatter myself. He won't bother her any more. I've sent him about his business. And a precious good thing for herself, too, if it comes to that, for just fancy a girl like Kitty being tied for life to a fellow in sailor clothes, and badly cut at that, with no right hand to brag about!"

But as for Arnold, he took his way sadly down the crowded streets, with the last remnants of a heart well nigh crushed out of him.

However, as long as a man lives he has to think about his living. Bread and cheese we must have, though our hearts be breaking. Next day accordingly Arnold called at a well known firm of publishers in the city, Stanley & Lockhart by name, to ask whether any decision had yet been arrived at about the manuscript translation from an Italian original he had sent them by post from Dundee a fortnight earlier.

The senior partner, an acute looking man with very little hair on his head to boast of, gazed hard at his visitor.

"Well, yes, Mr. Willoughby," he said, with a dry business smile. "I've looked at your manuscript, and our reader has reported on it, and I'm free to tell you we think very well of it. It's one of the most brilliant bits of historical fiction we've had submitted to us for a long time."

"Oh, I beg your pardon," Arnold interposed, coloring slightly. "I think you're laboring under a misapprehension. Have you read the introduction? I there explain that it's translated from an Italian manuscript."

"Yes, yes," Mr. Stanley broke in, smiling still more broadly. "I know all that, of course. It's admirable, admirable. Nothing could be better done. Falls in exactly with the current taste for high spiced and strongly flavored historical romance, with a good dash of bloodshed, and the introduction itself is one of the best parts—so circumstantial and solemn and with such an innocent air of truth and sincerity."

"But it is true, you know," Arnold cried, annoyed at being doubted, which was the one thing a man of his sensitive honor could never put up with. "I found the manuscript at Venice in a tiny little shop exactly under the circumstances I there describe, and I translated it into English during my spare time on board ship in two northern voyages."

"Indeed!" the publisher replied, with a quiet, self restrained smile. He was accustomed to dealing with these imaginative authors, some of whom, it is whispered, do not entirely confine their faculty of fiction to mere literary products. "And where is the manuscript now? It would be an interesting document."

"Unfortunately it's lost," Arnold Willoughby answered, growing hot. "One of my fellow sailors took it out of my locker while I was confined to my bunk with this injured hand of mine and destroyed it or threw it overboard. At any rate, it's not forthcoming. And I'm sorry for that, as it's of historical importance, and of course it would be useful in proving the authenticity and value of the narrative."

"Very useful indeed," Mr. Stanley replied, with a meaning smile, which again annoyed Arnold. "However, the question now is not as to the authenticity or authorship of the narrative at all, but as to its money worth for purposes of publication. We will agree that it is essentially a work of fiction. Whether it was written by you or by Master John Collingham of Holt, in Norfolk, it's still a work of fiction. He may have designed it to amuse or to deceive the council of ten, but any way I tell you he was a first rate novelist. I deal in these things, and I flatter myself I know a work of art when I see it. Well, now, then, let's get to business, Mr. Willoughby. What I should propose to do is to buy the copyright outright from you. And as this is a doubtful venture by a new author, suppose we make you an offer of £50 for the manuscript?"

Arnold's heart gave a wild leap. Fifty pounds! Why, as things now went, 'twas a perfect Pactolus! On £50 he could subsist for a twelvemonth. Since he ceased to be earl of Axminster he had never for a moment had so large a sum at one time in his possession.

He didn't know he was making a bad bargain, and indeed that even if some one else of greater experience had stood by his side to warn him against selling a piece of property of unknown value outright like that for the first sum offered he would probably have answered, and perhaps answered rightly, "I'd rather take £50 down and be certain of my money than speculate on what may perhaps be a bad investment." Fifty pounds down is a big sum to a beginner, and the beginner would most often be justified in jumping at it.

At any rate, Arnold jumped at it. His face flushed with pleasure.

"I should be delighted," he said, "to accept such an offer. And the book would come out?"

"At the beginning of the new season. Very well, then, that's settled." Mr. Stanley took up a blank form of agreement lying carelessly by his side, and filling it in rapidly with name, date and title, as well as valuable consideration, handed it across forthwith for inspection to Arnold. "Is that right?" he asked, with a wave of his pen.

"Suppose we make you an offer of £50 for the manuscript?"

"Quite right," Arnold answered, "except that of course you mustn't say 'Written by me.' It ought to be 'Deciphered and translated by me.' I can't sell you as mine what I have never written."

The publisher gave a short sniff of suppressed impatience, but drew his pen half angrily through the peccant words.

"There. Will that satisfy you?" he asked. And Arnold, glancing at it, took up the proffered pen and signed his name at the bottom.

Mr. Stanley drew a check and handed it over to him. Arnold scanned it and handed it back.

"I'm afraid this won't do," he said. "It's crossed, I see, and I happen to have no banking account. Could you kindly give me one drawn simply to bearer?"

"No banking account?" the publisher cried. This was certainly the very queerest sort of literary man he had ever yet come across.

"No," Arnold answered stoutly. "You must remember I'm nothing but a common sailor."

The man of business drew a second check, tearing up the first as soon as he had done so.

"But where did you learn Italian?" he asked. "And how did you pick up all this intimate knowledge of Elizabethan England and Spain and Italy?"

"You forget that was all in the manuscript," Arnold answered simply. The publisher waved his hand again. 'Twas an impatient wave. There was really no dealing with a fellow like this, who told a lie and stuck to it.

"Ah, true," he mused reflectively, with the same curious smile. "Well, Mr. Willoughby, I should say you have a great future in fiction before you."

Arnold hardly knew whether to accept that remark as a compliment or otherwise.

But as he descended the publisher's stairs that morning he had got rid of the copyright and all property and interest in a work entitled "An Elizabethan Seadog" to Messrs. Stanley & Lockhart, their heirs and executors, in consideration of the sum of £50. And Mr. Stanley was saying to Mr. Lockhart in the privacy of the counting house: "I'll tell you what it is, Lockhart. I believe we've got hold of a second Rider Haggard. I never read anything more interesting in my life than this sailor fellow's narrative. It has an air of history about it that's positively astonishing. Heaven knows where he learned to write such English as that, but he writes it admirably."

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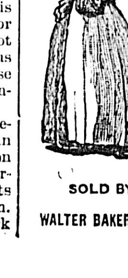

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RAILWAYS.

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TIME TABLE No. 24,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, April 5th 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

No. 2 Pass. Daily (North Bound—Read Down)	No. 4 Pass. Sat. & Sun. (North Bound—Read Down)	M'ls fr. Vic.	STATIONS.	M'ls fr. Wel.	No. 1 Pass. Daily (South Bound—Read Up)	No. 3 Pass. Sat. & Sun. (South Bound—Read Up)
De. 8.00 am	De. 4.50 pm		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.20 pm	Ar. 8.30 pm
" 8.04	" 4.55	1	Russell's	77	" 12.16	" 8.25
" 8.14	" 5.03	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.06	" 8.18
" 8.17	" 5.06	5	Stewart's	73	" 12.03	" 8.15
" 8.20	" 5.09	6	Parson's Bridge	72	" 12.00	" 8.12
" 8.27	" 5.15	8	Langford	70	" 11.53	" 8.06
" 8.37	" 5.24	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.43	" 7.57
" 9.05	" 5.52	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.15	" 7.30
" 9.30	" 6.14	23	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" 7.10
" 9.40	" 6.22	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" 7.02
" 9.55	" 6.31	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.25	" 6.53
" 10.05	" 6.38	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.15	" 6.46
" 10.10	" 6.42	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.10	" 6.42
" 10.20	" 6.49	43	Somenos	35	" 10.00	" 6.35
" 10.27	" 6.58	47	Westholme	31	" 9.53	" 6.26
" 10.42	" 7.08	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.33	" 6.15
" 11.00	" 7.26	59	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.20	" 5.57
" 11.09	" 7.35	62	Oyster Bay	16	" 9.11	" 5.48
" 11.40	" 8.03	73	Nanaimo	5	" 8.40	" 5.15
Ar. 12.00 n'n	Ar. 8.25	78	Wellington		De. 8.20 am	De. 5.00 pm

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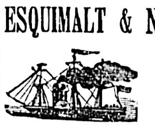

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" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.
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For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, Store street. ap25

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 27

Takes effect June 21st, 1895.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.
For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands

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JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

Victoria & Sidney Railw'y

TIME TABLE.

GOING NORTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Victoria......Lv	1	a m	7:00	7:00	9:00
	3	p m	4:00	2:00	2:00
Royal Oak......	1	a m	7:14	7:14	9:14
	3	p m	4:14	2:14	2:14
Elk Lake......	1	a m	7:23	7:23	9:23
	3	p m	4:23	2:23	2:23
Saanichton......	1	a m	7:35	7:35	9:35
	3	p m	4:35	2:35	2:35
Sidney......Ar	1	a m	7:48	7:48	9:48
	3	p m	4:48	2:48	2:48

GOING SOUTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Sidney......Lv	2	a m	8:15	8:15	10:15
	4	p m	5:15	5:15	5:00
Saanichton......	2	a m	8:28	8:28	10:28
	4	p m	5:28	5:28	5:13
Elk Lake......	2	a m	8:40	8:40	10:40
	4	p m	5:40	5:40	5:25
Royal Oak......	2	a m	8:54	8:54	10:54
	4	p m	5:54	5:54	5:39
Victoria......Ar	2	a m	9:08	9:08	11:08
	4	p m	6:08	6:08	5:50

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WEDNESDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 6 a.m. for Fulford and Sidney, connecting with morning train for Victoria, thence to Cowichan Wharf and Vesuvius Bay, thence to Sidney and return to Ganges Habor.

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Inspector Constantine's impressions of the Yukon country, of which he is about to take charge as chief of the mounted police detachment now on the way there, are told in the anual report just issued by the mounted police department. The inspector was sent there last year on a preliminary visit, and after spending all summer in the district makes a very interesting report, some extracts from which will give an idea of its present condition:

"The white population," he says, "is composed of Americans and Canadians, about equally divided. Quite a number of French-Canadians are working and doing well. There also a few English in the mines. The labor troubles in the United States have sent many in from there, some of the men coming in having their wives and children. Up to the 1st July 535 souls had passed Dia-Yah for the Yukon district. Of these nearly all came through. A few went back from or after leaving Dia-Yah, frightened with the outlook, two or three from the Canon, or White Horse. Some went out by the mouth of the river after being at Forty Mile a day or two. Most of the miners going out this fall are going by the mouth of the river—for tough and hardy as they are, they dread the hardship of going out by the Mountain pass. In the spring of 1894 some Japanese and Chinese arrived at Dia-Yah with the intention of going into the interior. A party of whites, numbering about 200, hearing of their landing, held a meeting, and it was decided that they were not to be allowed to enter the country. A party representing the miners went back until they met these strangers near the canon and told them that they would not be allowed to go into the country and that if they valued their lives they would not make the attempt. The foreigners took the hint and returned. This shows the feeling as regards the Chinese in this section of the country. This occurred in American territory.

"The Yukon district has been up to the present time a sort of 'No man's' land, the boundary between Alaska and the Northwest Territories not having been defined or officially declared. Law and order in the country has been enforced by a committee of miners, and with the exception of one shooting and cutting case last winter, it has been quiet and orderly, as much so as in other portions of the Northwest Territories. Last winter about 260 miners wintered at Cudahy and this winter about 500 are expected. It is during this time that any police will have their work to do.

"The highways of the country are the rivers and all travelling is done in boats. Upstream work is done by poling, which even to the most practised is hard and exhausting work, 20 miles a day being considered a good day's work, although 25 is sometimes made according to the part of the river travelled. From Fort Cudahy to Polly is the hardest part of the river. What is required and without which we should be useless, is a high power flat-bottomed stern-wheeled steamer, say about 40 feet long and 12 feet beam, with deck well projecting over the hull. One capable of 15 miles an hour, in still water, not drawing more than 12 to 18 inches when loaded. Such a boat could be got ready in the East during the winter, sent to St. Michael's, 80 miles from the mouth of the Yukon, and might be put together there and go up the river loaded, or if built could be carried on deck of ship.

CUSTOMS.

"Customs duties were distasteful, and at one time there looked as if there might be trouble in collecting Better counsels, however, prevailed and I brought out with me cheques, drafts and orders amounting to $3,248 82. Neither the coin or gold dust was procurable, as all in the settlement to any amount had been sent East by the first boats. As these drafts, etc., will be honored on presentation it is perhaps the safer way to bring it out. Staff Sergeant Brown remained in this winter in order to wind up the remainder of this part of the duty. He should collect between $2,000 and $3,000 more. What I got in some cases was on account of the duties, as all the goods were not in, nor the original invoices up from St. Michael's, but it is said would be when the boats came up on the last trip. They should arrive at Forty Mile about the end of the first week in October at the latest.

"The American customs were giving all the trouble they could to the North American Transportation and Trading Company on account of their buying many of their goods in Canada, putting an inspector in charge of the goods as far as the boundary, thirty five miles north of Fort Cudahy, and insisting on the company giving security for the custom officer's expenses until such time as he would arrive at the place from which he was sent. It was also stated on the authority of a man named Goldsmith that the agent of the Alaska Commercial Company at St. Michael's, Mr. Wilson, had orders to prevent any English or Canadian vessel unloading any goods at that place, although the North American Company had a warehouse there. It is said that the Alaska Commercial Company keep a paid agent at Washington, of the name of Elliott, to throw all obstacles in the way of any other company getting a foothold in the Yukon territory.

LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

"The liquor traffic in the country is assuming large proportions and will have to be dealt with by a strong hand, and a sufficient force will be necessary to enforce the provisions of the law. The country at present is ruled by a 'whiskey ring.' At present there are five saloons running and I hear more will be open as the miners come in for the winter. The liquor sold to the whites is of good quality, and retails at 50 cents a drink. It comes in principally from Fort Simpson, on the coast, is packed over the 'Summit' and brought down the river in boats. I hear 3,000 gallons have come in during the year just passed. The Indians make out of molasses, sugar and dried fruit a liquor locally known as Hoo-chin-oo, and is very much like the liquor made at the Cape and styled 'Cape Smoke.' It is very strong, more like pure alcohol both in appearance and taste. So far as my information goes, miners would like to see a high license and a stop put to the sale of liquor to Indians. Prohibition would be very hard to enforce, if not almost impossible, owing to the nature of the country, with its facilities for hiding liquor and illicit stills in the many ravines and gulches, which Indians could only find and travel to. The prohibitory law in Alaska is in reality a dead letter.

"In Juneau liquor is sold openly and no real attempt so far as I could learn is made to enforce the law there. Some difficulty might arise in the working of the present liquor law of the Northwest Territories and special legislation might be required to suit the situation. I refer more particularly to the machinery for the granting of licenses, and would suggest that should it be determined to grant them that it be left in the hands of the police if it is decided to send them in to that country.

"Many of the miners do not drink at all, and but few to excess, and those who do so would wherever they are. When they come in from the mines for winter they have a general carouse, but this is not confined to that section of the country alone. After this has been gone through, the camp settles down for a time and is then quiet for a mining camp in winter."

TRADE REVIEWED.

Business Continues to Improve—Numerous Voluntary Increases of Employes' Wages —Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: "Notwithstanding the week is broken by a holiday, the favorable trade conditions heretofore reported continue to exercise a pronounced influence, prominent in general advances in the price of staples and in the wages of industrial employes. The extent of the voluntary advances in wages reported within a month or two has outgrown the resources of voluntary statistical bureaus which have endeavored to keep track of them, the latest advices being that more than 1,000,000 industrial workers have received an advance averaging about 10 per cent. The upward tendency in prices, while not so marked as a month ago, is a still striking feature of the additional advances, those of lumber, tinplate and print cloths being new. Piece stuffs at Chicago are about 50 cents higher per 100 feet, and at Seattle lumber is to be advanced to-day. St. Louis reports that tinplates are 10 cents per box higher, and that the American tinplate factories are kept busy to meet the demand. Cotton goods are generally firm on the late advances in raw cotton, although some varieties are quiet at this, the mid-summer season. Fancy prints are active for fall delivery. Wool, which was late to start in the race for higher quotations, is quoted at another advance for South American and Australian varieties. The prices at the London sales are up 10 or 15 points, which, having been more than discounted here, induces the trade to anticipate a reaction unless the London quotations advance further. Cotton is also higher, as is leather. We have a repetition of the announcement made each week for more than a month, that the quotations for pig iron and steel billets have advanced. To this must be added a similar statement in respect to bar iron. The anthracite coal trade remains in the unfavorable condition which has so long characterised it, leading officials of the principal producing and coal carrying companies preferring to have their own way in reference to tonnage carried rather than bring about a permanently higher price by some equitable arrangement. Cattle and hogs remain practically unchanged in price, as do sugar and coffee. Among the list of staples for which prices are lower, are wheat, flour, corn and oats; in all instances the outcome of reports of improved crop conditions. Pork and lard are also lower, as are potatoes and butter. The total bank clearings for the Dominion are as follows: Montreal $9 941,705, increase 4 5; Toronto $6,366,722, increase 32 2; Halifax $1,269,350, increase 12 5; Hamilton $692 918, increase 2 6; Winnipeg $973,911, increase 12 4. Totals, $19,244.658; increase, 13 6.

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1 a. m..	50	Mean 55°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	51°		
9 a. m..	59°	Highest 65°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	62°		1 p.m.—4 N.E.
5 p. m..	62°	Lowest 50°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	53		Rain—.03.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine—6 hr. 11 min.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

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PERSONAL.

A. R. Johnston, Nanaimo, is a guest at the New England.

L. G. McPhillips, barrister, arrived down from Vancouver last evening.

Dr. J. C. Davie returned home from the Sound by yesterday's Kingston.

Mrs. C. Phillipps-Wolley arrived home from Vancouver by the Charmer last night.

F. C. Holden and T. S. Futcher were passengers from the Mainland by the Charmer last night.

E. H. Francis and George E. Ames were passengers from the Sound by the City of Kingston yesterday.

E. Stark, San Francisco; V. E. Kay, M.D., Otterville, Ont.; Thos. Conlan, Toronto; Wm. Farrell, Vancouver; Mrs. le Poer Trench, North Saanich; and Pierre Lerdy-Beaulieu, Paris, are guests at the Driard.

WAR IN YUCATAN.

The Campaign Against the Natives Will Be Much Like the Seminole War.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 5—The inhabitants of the State of Yucatan are enthusiastic over the re-inforcing of the federal troops there, and the orders to move against the rebel Indians encamped near the Belize (British Honduras) border. People are offering their money and services to the government. Yucatan has been having an Indian war for a great many years. As the savages find hiding places in the swamps and morasses in a region unexplored by white men, it has been difficult to follow them. These Indians have committed every form of atrocity. Many plantations have been ruined and the owners and their families murdered.

The campaign against the Indians must be tedious. It will be much like the war against the Seminole Indians in Florida. The soldiers are not anxious to be sent there, as the climate is frightfully hot and fever and hardships kill more men than do the Indians, who are as cruel as the Apaches and have marvelous ingenuity in warfare. But Mexico's settled policy is to rid her domains of savages and give the reclaimed lands to immigrants.

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A FOURTH OF JULY FIGHT.

Pitched Battle at "The Little Red House" Between Paraders and Spectators in the City of Culture.

BOSTON, Mass., July 5.—The Fourth of July parade of the patriotic societies of Boston and vicinity at East Boston yesterday afternoon ended in a pitched battle between some of the paraders and the spectators, in which sticks, stones and revolvers were used with fatal effect. John W. Willis, a laborer, of East Boston, one of the spectators, was shot and instantly killed; Michael Doyle, of East Boston, had his head split open by a club and lies dying at the city hospital; a young man named Stewart had his nose cut off with a sabre in the hands of one of the paraders; Patrick Kelly sustained a severe scalp wound, whether from a club or bullet is not known, and officer A. S. Bates was hit in the mouth by a brick thrown by an unknown person, and lost several teeth besides.

It is claimed that the trouble all resulted from the persistence of those who managed the parade in introducing a float representing "the little red schoolhouse," which, from its association as the emblem of the American Protective Association, has become obnoxious to many persons. The Fourth of July committee had tried to prevent the appearance of "the little red schoolhouse" in the parade, and opponents of the A. P. A. idea attempted to have an order passed by the board of aldermen to this effect, but failed. When the obnoxious part of the parade reached Putnam street it was attacked by a hostile mob, and before the police could restore order the casualties above given had taken place.

The little red school house was a fac simile of the regulation New England school house, surrounded by the stars and stripes. At the very end of the procession, which was without police protection, came a barouche drawn by four grey horses. In the carriage were O. C. Emerson, H. Roberts, Mrs. O. C. Emerson and Mrs. F. J. Campbell. The carriage was profusely decorated with American flags and Mrs. Campbell wore an orange dress. A crowd of anti-A.P.A.'s closed in and trouble commenced. Albert E. Andrews, of Everett, a private in the Roxbury Horse Guards, was standing on the sidewalk near by. He was in full uniform with a sabre at his side. Andrews had been in the escort of the mayor, and had just returned to his father's house. The bright yellow plume of his helmet attracted the attention of the struggling ladies in the carriage, and "Help us, soldiers," one of them cried shrilly. Andrews rushed into the thick of the fight, and, drawing his sabre, waved the heavy blade above his head. The crowd fell back a second, then rushed upon the orange plume with a tremendous roar. Four men stood by Andrews, one brandishing two self-cocking revolvers. The conflict lasted for a considerable length of time, when the police finally succeeded in suppressing the disorder.

MUNICIPAL REFORMS.

Citizens of Omaha Join in a Non-Partizan Movement to Secure Radical Changes in the System.

OMAHA, Neb., July 5.—Business men and citizens, regardless of party feelings, have united in the publication of a proclamation calling for the organization of a movement looking to the introduction of business methods in the city government. The embers of public indignation have been fanned for several months by the alleged corruption now existing in municipal affairs. Months ago it was noticed that city money was being used by speculators, contractors and others with political influence.

The matter became so flagrant that the school board demanded an investigation as to its funds. The next day City Treasurer Bollin fled, leaving a note that he had gone to commit suicide. Officers located him in hiding. Developments showed that many members of the city council and other politicians owed the city from $100 to $2,000 each. The only security the treasurer had was a slip in the cash drawer indicating the amount due the city on the I.O.U. Cash was missing to the amount of $30,000.

Since then this has been reduced two-thirds by the I.O.U.s being taken up. The council, in the face of the situation, refused to depose Bollin, though many citizens were demanding his arrest. A week after his defalcations were made public Bollin resigned. The Mayor repeatedly sent names of citizens to the council to succeed Bollin, but that body refused to confirm the nominations, in the meantime leaving Bollin in office.

These developments contributed so powerfully to the great demand for reform that a proclamation signed by 1,000 of the most prominent citizens of Omaha, representing all political parties, has been published, calling upon citizens generally to join with them in a vigorous non-sectarian and non-partisan citizens' movement for municipal reform. The A. P. A., which is now the controlling factor in local politics, is not mentioned in the proclamation, though its wording carries the inference that war is to be made on the A. P. A. as well as other organizations of its character.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

The "Valkyrie" Defeats the "Ailsa"—Yachting at Seattle—To-Day's Features.

Programme of Northwestern Regatta—Harrison Challenges Haywood of Vancouver.

BASEBALL—Tacomas v. Amities, at Caledonia Park.

THE WHEEL.—Second heat in the Harris handicap race, at Beacon Hill, 4:30 p.m.

THE TURF.—Running and Trotting races, at Stanley Park, Cadboro Bay road.

CRICKET.—Victoria C. C. vs. Albions, on the grounds of the latter; Victoria C. C. vs. Victoria College, at Beacon Hill.

CANOEING.—Canoe Club fortnightly races.

THE OAR.

LAUNCHED AGAIN.

The James Bays' four oar shell which was injured some time ago in a collision with a sealing schooner, has been thoroughly repaired and yesterday was launched. It is quite as good as new, stronger than ever and only weighs three quarters of a pound more than it did before the accident.

PROGRAMME OF NORTHWESTERN REGATTA.

The general regatta committee of the J.B.A.A. held a meeting last evening to consider matters in connection with the international regatta on July 19 and 20. The collecting committee reported good progress and said that the parties solicited seemed very willing to assist financially. The programme as arranged is as follows: First day—Junior four-oared shell (association race), naval race, senior single shell (association race). Second day—Junior single shell (association race), senior four-oared shell (association race), Peterboro canoe single, do. tandem, do. four-blade, lapstreak four-oared, twenty-foot skiff single, naval race, do. do., copper navy punt race, Indian war canoe (13 paddles, 40-foot canoes). The races the first day will start at 3 30 p.m., and on the second day at 2 p.m.

YACHTING.

THE SEATTLE RACES.

At the Seattle yacht races on Thursday the Volage and Daisy Belle failed of victory. The races were run off in good weather, and the sailing qualities of each of the thirty yachts participating were well tested. Contrary to the Victoria way of classing the boats, everything 35 feet or over was in A class; from 25 feet to 35 feet, B class; not exceeding 25 feet, C class, and not exceeding 20 feet, D class. This meant that the Volage was put in A class, and the Daisy Belle in C class. In the former the well known Myth of Fairhaven was the winner, and the Xora and Gracie Felitz came in second and third in the order named. The winner of the C class, in which the Daisy Belle was entered, was the Hettie of Port Townsend. At the meeting of the Northwest International Yachting Association at the Seattle Yacht Club, Tuesday night, the following officers were elected: President, Fred. E. Sander, Seattle; vice-president, Roland G. Gamwell, Fairhaven; secretary, Frank P. Dow, Fairhaven; treasurers, W. R. Foote, Victoria B. C.; executive committee, E. B. Leaming, New Whatcom, John Barneson, Port Townsend, J. H. Johnson, Seattle; admiral, John Barneson, Port Townsend; vice-admiral, W. C. Hellbron, Seattle; commodore, G. A. Kirk, Victoria, B. C.; vice-commodore, J. R. McKinley, New Whatcom; fleet captain, Henry Hensel, Seattle.

A NOVEL OFFER.

Owing to rain the canoe and yacht races which were to have taken place at Port Angeles on Thursday were declared off. The Victoria yacht Dora, Capt. Finlayson, was to have sailed against the Port Angeles yacht Paloma for a silver cup, and rather than not have the contest Mr. Norman Smith, owner of the Paloma, made the very sportsmanlike offer to sail the Dora against his own yacht, if she were left at Port Angeles. The offer was accepted and the race will come off next week.

THE "VALKYRIE" HAS A CAPITAL TRIAL.

HUNTER'S QUAY, July 5.—It was an ideal day for a trial of light weather sailing upon the part of the Valkyrie. The course determined upon was from Hunter's Quay round the Skelmorlie bell buoy and back. The Valkyrie and Ailsa started at 2:20 p.m., both yachts carrying their jib topsails. The Ailsa crossed the line a dozen lengths ahead of her opponent and on the starboard tack. Off Inellan the cup challenger was a quarter of a mile dead to windward and afterwards stood away on the starboard tack in inimitable style. Off Skelmorlie, the Valkyrie was four miles ahead, and as she squared around the mark for the home run she set a big low footed bowsprit spinnaker—the first time this kite was ever hoisted. It pulled her along famously. Her balloon spinnaker was hoisted shortly afterwards, and in spite of all this head weight she did not tip by the head and ran hare like from the Ailsa. The latter assisted by a big jib top-sail was driven as hard as possible, but she could not reduce the gap between herself and the Valkyrie, and the latter finished a mile and a half ahead. It was a fair racing trial, and the Valkyrie upheld the reputation which she gained on Saturday in her maiden race when she defeated the Britannia and Ailsa. But she is not yet considered to be up to cup form, although the weight has been added to her which, according to her designer, was required to bring her down to her designed water line.

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TACOMAS V. AMITIES.

The following are the Tacoma and Amity teams as they will go to bat to-day in the great return match at the Caledonia Park:

Amities—Gus Gowen, centre field; Duck, left field; Jackson, short stop; Scott, third base; Franklin, right field; Widdowson, second base; Partridge, first base; Huxtable, catcher; Lenfesty, pitcher.

Tacoma—Groger, third base; Campbell, short stop; Gates, left field; Cory, second base; Grant, catcher; Jones, centre field; Sullivan, right field; Stotter, first base; Baker, pitcher; Peer, substitute.

THE WHEEL.

THE HARRIS HANDICAP RACE.

The second heat in the ten and a half miles race for the Harris cup will be ridden at Beacon Hill this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, the riders drawn being, with their handicaps, as below:

Rider.	*Mount.*	*Handicap.*
W. F. Penwill	Rambler	Scratch.
Justin Gilbert	Columbia	1:30 min.
T. A. Johnson	Eagle	3:00 "
Harry Wille	Keating	4:00 "

CRICKET.

VICTORIA C. C. V. ALBION C. C.

The second match of the season between these clubs will be played on the Albion ground, Beacon Hill, to-morrow afternoon. The game, which no doubt will prove interesting, commences at 2:15 sharp, and members of both elevens are requested to be on hand at that hour. The teams are:

Victoria C. C.—C. E. Pooley, G. S. Holt, Captain G. E. Barnes, E. A. Pauline, W. Lefroy, B. H. T. Drake, W. Wallis, S. F. Morley, L. C. Barff, A. T. Goward and B. Goward.

Albion C. C.—Q. D. H. Warden, F. W. Thomas, C. Schwengers, H. J. Martin, W. York, L. York, R. H. Swinerton, A. A. Green, A. Booth, H. L. Gulline and A. C. Anderson.

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT EVENTS.

The Port Angeles team defeated the Young Nationals, of Victoria, at baseball Thursday.

E. L. Harrison, of Victoria, has sent a challenge to W. L. Haywood, of Vancouver, to compete for the championship of British Columbia in a 100-yard race, 200-yard race, 220-yard hurdle race, quarter-mile race, 300-yard race, running long jump and running high jump, the stake being $250. Haywood has accepted on condition that the contest take place in Vancouver.

The following programme for Saturday, July 27, was decided on by the executive committee of the "Triangle" rowing club of the Y.M.C.A. last night: Double sculling, heats and finals; canoe races; swimming races; to conclude with a new and interesting event, a duck hunt. Entries are open to members of the club only.

The Victoria Wheelmen's club have adopted Tuesday as their regular meeting night.

BUSINESS IN CANADA.

Bradstreet's Weekly Description of the Condition of Things in the Dominion.

NEW YORK, July 5—Bradstreet's state of trade says that general trade has slacked up a little in Montreal, where a new departure is being made in arranging to export butter in cold storage. In Quebec city there is a check to business also, but the crop prospects in the eastern portion of the province are good. Toronto reports a large receipt of hay from Quebec. The Eastern Nova Scotia crop prospects are disappointing owing to the drought. The crop prospects, and the outlook for codfishing in Newfoundland are both excellent. The total business failures in the Dominion of Canada number 25 this week, against 28 last week, 39 in the same week one year ago, and 26 two years ago. The United States and Canada carry over 60,117,000 bushels of available wheat into this the new cereal year, about twenty per cent. less than one and two years ago.

THE telegraph wires are said to have "worked very slow" last night.

Although the state ball at Buckingham palace to night attracted the leaders of society, a large and representative audience attended the concert of the Cornell glee club at St. James hall. The club was much disappointed at the non-appearance of the members of the American embassy, who had promised their patronage upon the occasion of the first appearance of the college glee club in London. The audience accorded the most enthusiastic reception to the American collegians, and double and triple encores were demanded all evening. The Cornell rowing club were unable to attend the concert owing to the demand of their training for next week's race. The Cornell glee club will give a concert at Henley in the public hall during the progress of the regatta next week. Wednesday is the day fixed for this concert. The glee club has also made important bookings.

The foreign residents of Taiwan, in the Island of Formosa, have fled to Laikov, abandoning their property. It is rumored that the Japanese troops have landed forty miles north of Taiwan, intending to surround the enemy and prevent them from retreating to the mountains.

Americans in Paris yesterday visited Lafayette's tomb, where a ceremony arranged by a committee of delegates to the prison congress will take place.

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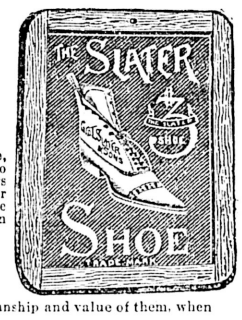

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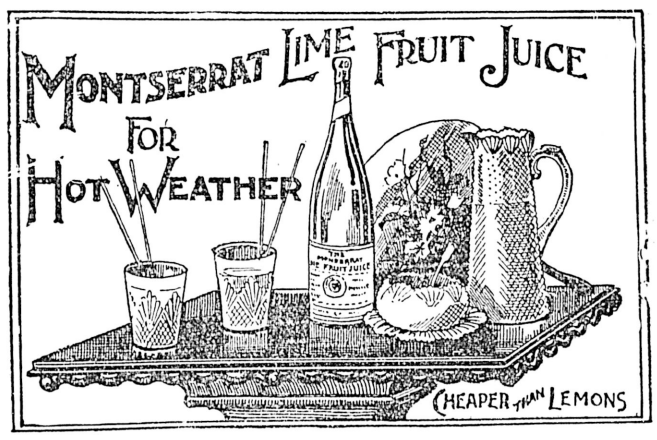

THE CLONMEL TRAGEDY.

Sequel to the Torture and Burning of an Old Irish Woman as a Witch.

DUBLIN, July 5.—Michael Cleary, of Ballyvadlea, near Clonmel, was convicted of manslaughter to-day for causing the death of his wife, Bridget Cleary, at Ballyvadlea, on March 14 last, by burning and otherwise ill-treating her on the ground that she was bewitched. This so-called Clonmel witch tragedy is one of the most remarkable in the annals of crime in Ireland. Michael Cleary, husband of the deceased, Patrick Boland, her father, William, Patrick, Michael and James Kennedy, cousins, Mary Kennedy, aunt, and Patrick Dunne, William Ahearn and Dennis Caney, the latter known as the "family doctor," were jointly arrested and charged with burning and ill-treating Bridget Cleary until death relieved her from further suffering.

The evidence showed that Mrs. Cleary was suffering from nervousness and bronchitis, and that her husband, believing her bewitched, forced a nauseous decoction down her throat for the purpose of exorcising the evil spirit. After this the unfortunate woman was held over the fire and dreadfully burned until she declared in the name of God that she was not Cleary's wife. This torture was repeated and in the end her husband knocked her down, stripped off her clothing, poured parafine over her body, lighted it, and the woman was burned to death in the presence of her relatives. Cleary claimed that he was not burning his wife, but a witch.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 5.—The following are the closing prices:

American Sugar	111⅞
" " (preferred)	100¼
American Tobacco	113¼
Atchison & Santa Fe	6⅝
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	85⅞
Canadian Pacific	54⅞
Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus & St. Louis	46⅞
Chicago Gas	60⅞
Consolidated Gas	143½
New York Central	101⅛
Distillers	22⅛
Delaware & Hudson	131
Erie	10⅛
General Electric	36⅛
Jersey Central	102
Kansas & Texas	19⅛
Louisville & Nashville	58⅛
Lake Shore	147⅛
Missouri Pacific	23
Lead	35⅞
North American Company	5⅞
New England	50⅛
Northern Pacific	4⅛
" " (preferred)	17⅞
North Western	99⅛
O. M.	40⅞
Pacific Mail	29⅞
Reading	18⅞
Rhode Island	72⅞
St. Paul	65⅞
Texas Pacific	13
Coal	39⅞
Union Pacific	12
Western Union	91⅛
Wheeling & Lake Erie	17
Sterling Exchange 60 days	4.89
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Money	1
C.P.R. in London	5⅞
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Commercial Cable in Montreal	158⅛

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